

# ANTH1100 - Introduction to Anthropology

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	Meets MnTC Goal Areas 5 and 8. This course is a survey of human nature through time and around the world. It examines the physical nature of our species, archaeology, the study of cultural behavior and linguistic studies.
Prerequisites:	
Corequisites:	
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Competencies:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Define and distinguish the four sub-disciplines of anthropology.</li> <li>2. Define the concepts of culture, world view, ethnocentrism, and cultural relativism.</li> <li>3. Explain the evolution of food gathering from hunting and gathering societies to food producing societies.</li> <li>4. Contrast different marriage and kinship practices within various cultures.</li> <li>5. Identify three early representatives of primates in the fossil record.</li> <li>6. Distinguish between social groups such as bands, tribes, chieftain-led groups, and states.</li> <li>7. Contrast explanations for the phenomena of culture change.</li> <li>8. Distinguish between different theoretical and cultural approaches to religious belief.</li> <li>9. Identify how science works as a learning tool.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences</li> <li>8. Global Perspective</li> </ol>

*\*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.*